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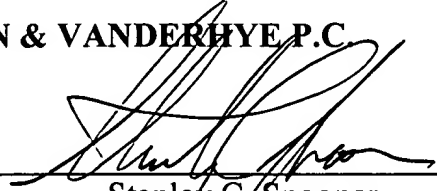
**STATUS INQUIRY**

The above-identified application was filed on **March 26, 2001**. However, since then applicant has not received an Official Action from the Patent Office regarding the application. **It is also noted that the Patent Office has not replied to applicant's Status Inquiry letter filed April 5, 2005. Inquiry is again made as to when an Action will be forthcoming.**

Respectfully submitted,

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